

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

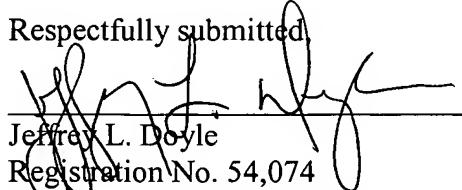
The Notice states that the oath or declaration was missing from the original application. Applicants acknowledge that a declaration was not filed contemporaneously with or subsequent to the original application.

Accordingly, in light of the foregoing, Applicants are submitting herewith the enclosed executed Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63. Additionally, Applicants acknowledge that a declaration surcharge is also required, however, Applicants respectfully disagree as to the \$130 amount set forth in the Notice. Applicants respectfully submit that it is entitled to small entity status as was asserted in its Assertion of Small Entity Status received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 14, 2003 (a copy of the postcard and Assertion is attached hereto under Exhibit A). Therefore, Applicants respectfully submit a declaration surcharge of \$65 is required in this matter. Accordingly, Applicants hereby authorize the Office to charge the surcharge of \$65 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e), as well as any and all additional fees or deficiencies deemed necessary, to deposit account 04-2223.

Applicant respectfully submits that the enclosed documents are responsive to the Notice of Missing Parts. If the Office has any further questions regarding this matter, please contact Applicants' undersigned attorney.

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Respectfully submitted

  
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